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### G. A. R. NATIONAL ENCAMPMENT GEN. J. M. STEWART ELECTED

COMMANDER-IN-CHIEF. Reunions of Army Corps and Other Organi-

zations Resolutions Complimentary to the President-269.551 Members of the G. A. R. in Good Standing. WASHINGTON, Oct. 9 .- At the session of

the National Encampment of the G. A. R. this afternoon Gen. J. M. Stewart, Adjutant-General of Pennsylvania, was elected Commander-in-Chief to succeed Gen. Eli Torrance, receiving 467 votes to 272 for Gen. John C. Black of Illinois, and 63 for Gen. McElroy of this city, editor of the National Tribune. William W. Olin of Boston was elected Senior Vice-Commander and James M. Averill of Georgia, Junior Vice-Commander. The selection of a medical officer and chaplain will be made to-morrow, as will the choice of the city in which the next annual encampment will be held. At the election of officers of the Sons of Veterans, Frank Martin, Deputy State Auditor of Indiana, was chosen Commander-in-Chief and Frank B. Wilson of San Francisco, Senior Vice-Commander. Sons of Veterans will meet next year in the city selected by the Grand Army of the Republic.

The National Encampment settled down this morning to the work of disposing of the accumulated business of a year. The convention of the National Asscciation of Army Nurses, the twentieth annual convention of the Woman's Relief Corps, the sixteenth annual convention of the Ladies of the G. A. R., the thirteenth annual convention of the Daughters of Veterans and a meeting of the Woman's Veteran Relief Corps were held to-day.

At 9 o'clock there was an exhibition of pontoon bridge building by the Third United States Engineer Battalion at the old arsenal grounds under command of Major W. M. Black. Those veterans who witnessed the work of the engineers remarked upon the many improvements that had been made in pontoon bridge building since the Civil

the delegates to the conventions of women's organizations at the Corcoran Art Gallery All of the various army corps and other minor organizations held receptions and reunions this afternoon

At the meeting of the National Encampment resolutions expressive of the attitude of the body toward President Roosevelt were introduced by Gen. Edgar Allen of Richmond, to the effect that the convention, while still mourning for President McKinley, rejoiced in the career of his successor, "who is heartily in sympathy with all that tends | Astoria, and the delegates were received to the preservation of the memories of the veterans' glorious past," and that he is allied to the veterans of the G. A. R. "by ties of comradeship which he won on later fields of American valor." The resolutions closed with the wish that the President would be

with the wish that the President would be speedily restored to perfect health and to "his wonted activity for the public good."

The report of the Adjutant-General shows that the membership of the G. A. R. in good standing on June 30, was 269,551, distributed among 6,678 posts, and says: "It is indeed encouraging that, notwithstanding the inevitable increase in the loss by death, the gains by muster and reinstatement overcome it. There are still living 900,000 of the men who were part of that grand amy of the '60s, and of that number less than 75,000 are 62 years of age. This sugthan 75,000 are 62 years of age. This suggests that if proper efforts were put forth the G. A. R. ought to increase in numbers instead of decreasing for a long time to

The death loss last year was 8,299. The total receipts from all sources were \$16,928 and the expenditures \$10,520. and the expenditures \$10,520.

One of the two reports on "pensions" is merely a restatement of the report sent to the President detailing the acts of the special G. A. R. investigating committee, which scored Commissioner Evans. The second report devotes considerable space to answering attacks on the American reasien swering attacks on the American pension system and reviewing the administration of the Pension Bureau under Commissioner Evans. In closing, the report commends the administration of Commissioner of Pen-sions Ware and says that "already there is evidence that abuses and misconstruction against which we have protested have been

OLDEST UNION CLUBMAN DEAD. David Austen Joined It in 1835-He Was Eighty-eight Years Old.

David Austen, the oldest living member of the Union Club, died yesterday morning at his home in St. James's Court, Broadway and Ninety-second street. He had suffered from heart trouble and pneumonia for three weeks. He was born in this city in 1814 and was graduated from Amherst College in the class with Henry Ward Then he entered the dry goods Beccher. Then he entered the dry goods auction business. He was a member of the firms of Austen, Spicer & Co., Austen, Haggerty & Co., and Austen, Wilmerding & Co. He retired about forty years ago. He married Mary Adeline Elwell and at her death married Cornelia Hull Pickett. Two sons, Col. David E. Austen, who is Receiver of Taxes in this city, and George Austen, survive him. He joined the Uniou Club in 1835, his membership dating fifteen years further back than that of any other member.

To Raise Gunboats Dewey Sank. TACOMA, Wash., Oct. 9 To-day's Oriental mail contains the news that the Philippine Engineering Company has got the contract for raising the remaining sunken gunboats of the Spanish fleet which Admiral Dewey riddled and sank in the battle

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REPEAL BANKRUPTCY LAW, SAYS PRESIDENT BISSELL.

Wm. A. Nash Reads a Paper on Branch Banking as a Solution of the Difficulty of Protecting Smaller Banks in Time of Stress - A Whole-Theatre Party

At the Clearing House yesterday morning the New York State Bankers' Association opened its ninth annual meeting. The headquarters are at the Waldorfthere in the Myrtle Room yesterday morning before the downtown session, by the President, A. D. Bissell of Buffalo, Vice-President Stephen M. Griswold of Brooklyn, and Secretary T. E. Carpenter of Mount

In his opening address at the Clearing House President Bissell laid stress upon the need of cooperation in the affairs of State banking. He spoke in commenda-tion of the Taxation Committee's suc-

State banking. He spoke in commendation of the Taxation Committee's success in securing the passage of the bill ordering a State tax of 1 per cent. per annum on the capital and surplus of banks and trust companies, in place of the former ocal assessments with special exemptions.

Mr. Bissell spoke of two evils as interfering with the profitable management of banks. The greater was the collection of foreign items at par; the other the payment of excessive interest on deposits. If interests on deposits were cut off, the borrowers as well as the banks would be gainers, as they would get more favorable rates, and doubtful loans would be curtailed.

The bankruptcy law, however much needed when passed, was not needed now and should be repealed. Its only use now was to those who dishonestly took advantage of it. The institution of bank clerks, he said, had improved the quality of bank employees and had aroused an enthusiasm which worked to the advantage of banks in the large cities.

After reports of the secretary and treasurer, William A. Nash, president of the Corn Excharg: Bank, read a paper on "Branch Bausirg." Mr. Nash said that experience on the Loan Committee of the Clearing House in 1893 had given him the idea of developing an institution to be of service at such times to the small banks in a way similar to that in which the large banks were aided through the issue of Clearing House certificates.

To Mr. Nash a large central bank with branches seemed to be the solution of this difficulty, and this led him to take advantage, on the part of the Corn Exchange Bank, of the new State law permitting banks in cities of more than 1,000,000 inhabitants to have branches. He went on:

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President, Stephen M. Griswold of the Union Bank, Brooklyn; vice-president, Charles H. Sabin, vice-president of the National Commercial Bank of Albany, secretary, T. E. Carpenter, president of the Mount Kisco Bank; treasurer, E. E. Johnson, cashier of the First National Bank of Glens Falls.

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The bankers went to see "A Chinese Honeymoon" last night at the Casino. About 2,100 of them, counting wives and sweethearts, were there. They had bought the whole house. The theatre was elaborately decorated. After the performance Delmonico served a buffet lunch at tables on all the floors. A corps of seventy-five waiters were on hand. Flash-light photographs were taken of the assemblage.

PURROY ON CROKER'S TRAIL. Wants to Know About a Great Police Court Case of 1896.

In his efforts to establish a case against The senorts to establish a case against Chief Croker, Commissioner Sturgis has ordered an investigation of the records of a police court. Stories told to the Commissioner or to his secretary, Willie Leary, which in any way reflected upon Chief Croker have been promptly placed in the hands of confidential subordinates for investigation.

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Deputy Chief Purroy spent yesterday morning searching the musty records of the Jefferson Market police court. The records he wanted were in the court books for the year 1896. In that year, Croker, then a battalion chief, while driving up Eighth avenue, came into collision with a vehicle. The matter was brought up to court the next day.

In the meantime the other man had found that Croker was in the right and he had

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It wouldn't be nice to have any other women tell you how not to wear your hair. But the SUNDAY SUN can do it and not make you feel bad by looking wise the next time you meet it-and if you are a wise woman, it will be the very next time it is issued. The SUNDAY SUN next week will explain why certain types of women should not wear their hair certain ways.

### For All Observers of the Community:

A full review of the Life, Works and Personality of a Great Statesman. A study in American success. An article to make every good citizen laugh a little, grind his teeth a little and conclude after all that this is a great country.

### For All Who Ride on Street Cars:

The SUNDAY SUN will present a pleasantly prepared explanation of the improvements that have been made in the business of running electrical cars in this country. A great convention of trolley folks met in Detroit the other day and decided that the Michigan city, which could be set down and lost east of the Bowery, has New York beaten to a pulp in the matter of trolley cars-cars which bring in milk, eggs and garden sass, and every hour carry passengers at tremendous speed to towns fifty and sixty miles away.

### For All Who Like Stories Which Tug at the Heart a Bit:

There will be a mighty satisfactory twenty minutes in the SUNDAY SUN in the story "The Wedding Ring of Mrs. Dippy McGlone." You may not like Jin's crisp, fantastic torture of the dictionary, you may not like Dippy's devotion to the race rack or to his none too admirable business. But Mrs. Dippy can't help but do you good.

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